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ACTION MEMORANDUM AMENDMENT

SUBJECT: Action Memorandum Amendment for a Time-Critical Removal Action at the Libby Asbestos Site, OU7, Troy, Montana.

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Category of Removal: Time Critical, NPL, EPA Fund-Lead

I. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this Action Memorandum Amendment is to request and document a ceiling increase and an increase in geographical scope of clean up activities from the scope approved in the previous Action Memorandum Amendments, specifically to address contamination at the Old Troy High School (Troy School). Troy, MT, is designated as Operable Unit 7 of the Libby Asbestos Site and is located 12 miles west of the town of Libby. The previous Action Memorandum Amendments dated June 5, 2002 and May 15, 2006 set forth the need and scope for additional cleanup activities at the Site. Those cleanup activities are progressing and are still considered to be of a time critical nature. However, the extent of contamination requiring immediate attention is more widespread than previously believed.

EPA Region 8 (Region 8) is also concurrently completing a remedial investigation and working toward publication of a Record of Decision (ROD) that will cover needed, but non-time critical, response actions. This Action Memorandum Amendment describes costs related to the